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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

11 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA-FRESNO DIVISION

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14 PACIFIC COAST FEDERATION OF
FISHERMEN'S ASSOCIATIONS, *et al.*,

No. 1:20-cv-00431-DAD-EPG
No. 1:20-cv-00426-DAD-EPG

15 Plaintiffs,

16 v.

17 GINA RAIMONDO, *et al.*,

18 Defendants.

ORDER REGARDING BRIEFING
SCHEDULE FOR MOTIONS FOR
REMAND WITHOUT VACATUR AND
INTERIM INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

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20 THE CALIFORNIA NATURAL
RESOURCES AGENCY, *et al.*,

21 Plaintiffs,

22 v.

23 GINA RAIMONDO, *et al.*,

24 Defendants.

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26 Pursuant to the Joint Status Report filed by the parties on November 4, 2021 (ECF
27 No. 307, ECF No. 212), and the Court's Minute Order filed November 9, 2021 (ECF No. 310,
28 ECF No. 214), the Court hereby enters the following briefing schedule for the anticipated motions

1 in the above-captioned cases:

2 **November 23, 2021:**

3 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo* and *CNRA v. Raimondo*, Federal Defendants' last day to file a
4 motion for voluntary remand of the 2019 Biological Opinions and Record of Decision without
5 vacatur requesting that the Court issue an order approving a specifically identified plan for interim
6 operations of the Central Valley Project through September 30, 2022, as equitable relief on
7 remand; that the cases be stayed for the same time period; and that the Court retain jurisdiction
8 during the pendency of the remand.

9 In *CNRA v. Raimondo*, State Plaintiffs' last day to file a motion for injunctive relief
10 regarding interim operations, seeking judicial approval of a specifically identified plan for interim
11 operations referenced by Federal Defendants above (i.e., the interim operations plan previously
12 submitted to the Court on October 14, 2021, including any modifications that may be agreed upon
13 by the Federal Defendants and State Plaintiffs prior to filing this motion on November 23).

14 **December 16, 2021:**

15 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo*, PCFFA Plaintiffs' last day to file a response /opposition to the
16 motions filed on November 23, 2021 by Federal Defendants.

17 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo*, last day for PCFFA Plaintiffs to file a motion for preliminary
18 injunction related to interim operations, focused on Shasta operations and water temperature
19 management, Old and Middle River (OMR) and OMR Storm Flex, Temporary Urgency Change
20 Petitions that modify Delta Outflow, and the San Joaquin River inflow:export ratio.

21 **January 10, 2022:**

22 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo* and *CNRA v. Raimondo*, last day for Defendant-Intervenors to file
23 oppositions to motions filed by Federal Defendants, State Plaintiffs, and PCFFA Plaintiffs.

24 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo*, last day for Federal Defendants to file response or opposition to
25 PCFFA Plaintiffs' motion for preliminary injunction.

26 **January 24, 2022:**

27 In *PCFFA v. Raimondo*, last day to file any reply in support of PCFFA Plaintiffs' motion
28 for preliminary injunction, and any reply in support of Federal Defendants' motion for voluntary

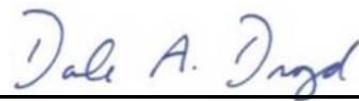
1 remand.

2 In *CNRA v. Raimondo*, last day to file any reply in support of Federal Defendants' and
3 State Plaintiffs' motions.

4 Hearing date(s) to be determined and noticed by the Court.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 Dated: November 24, 2021


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE